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Dear Sonneborn:

Thank you for your letter of the 8th. Miss Ottolenghi, the Italian girl I wrote to you about, has now a research assistantship here at Princeton University, and a fairly good one. What she would be interested in would be an instructorship in some college, or similar, in order to start a teaching career. I thank you and Dr. Payne very much, anyway, for your kind interest.

I have discussed your objections to the manuscript on bacterial mutations with Delbrueck, and we introduced some changes in the initial presentation of the hypothesis which should make it more palatable to geneticists.

Working here in the heat and dampness of Princeton is like a protracted Turkish bath. I am going to spend next week at Cold Spring Harbor, refreshing and examining all the data I collected during these weeks of intensive experimentation.

Best regards,



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